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SUBJ: HIJACKING OF YEMEN PLANE

1. ITALIAN AMBASSADOR INFORMS THAT MINELLI AND DISMALETO PLAN TRAVEL KUWAIT-ROME EVENING 26TH. OTHER ITALIAN PASSENGERS EXPECT GO ASMARA, POSSIBLY LEAVING KUWAIT MORNING 27TH, THOUGH WHETHER ON SAME PLANE THEY ARRIVED IN NOT CLEAR. FYI, HIJACKED CO-PILOT'S NAME IS MOHAMMAD SALIM SHEBA, WEST GERMAN PILOT CONFIRMED AS HANS MOEHR. LOCAL PRESS GIVES NAME OF HIJACKER AS NASSER AHMED ABU BAKR.

2. BOTH ITALIAN AMBASSADOR AND GERMAN CHARGE EXPRESSED DEEP APPRECIATION FOR EARLY INFO RE HIJACKING RECEIVED FROM US. STOLTZFUS

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